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TRANSMITTAL OF DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

Dear Sir:

- 1) In Response to the Notification of Missing Requirements dated August 17, 2005, I am enclosing:
 - a) a copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements;
 - b) a Declaration and Power of Attorney that has been executed by the inventors (4 pages); and
 - c) Form PTO-2038 to cover the late-filing surcharge. Please note that the filing fee was paid by Form PTO-2038 on January 31, 2005. However, any fee deficiency or additional fee properly due may be charged to Deposit Account 50-0507.
- 2) The Declaration identifies the present application by the International Application serial number and filing date and was signed in connection with a copy of the International Application as filed on July 16, 2003. The application is also identified by the title, the priority data and the inventor data.
- 3) Entry of the Declaration, and examination of the application in due course are respectfully requested. The **Correspondence Address and Power of Attorney** for this application are to USPTO Customer Number 021553 (see page 2 of the Declaration).

Respectfully submitted,
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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 01/31/2005
- English Translation of the IA filed on 01/31/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 01/31/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 01/31/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 01/31/2005
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The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(f) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity:

- **\$130** Surcharge.

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